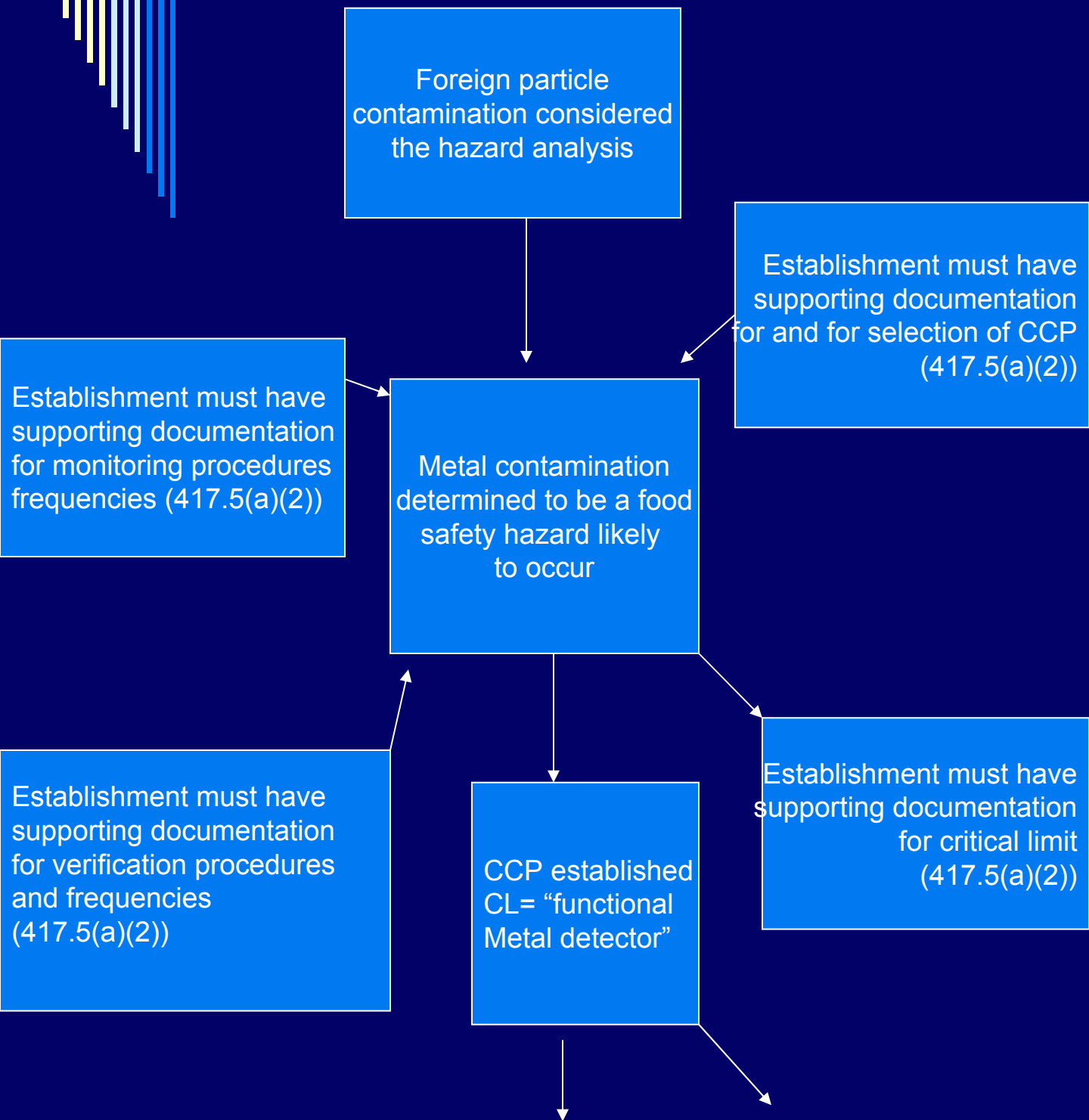
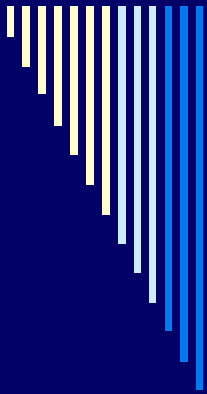
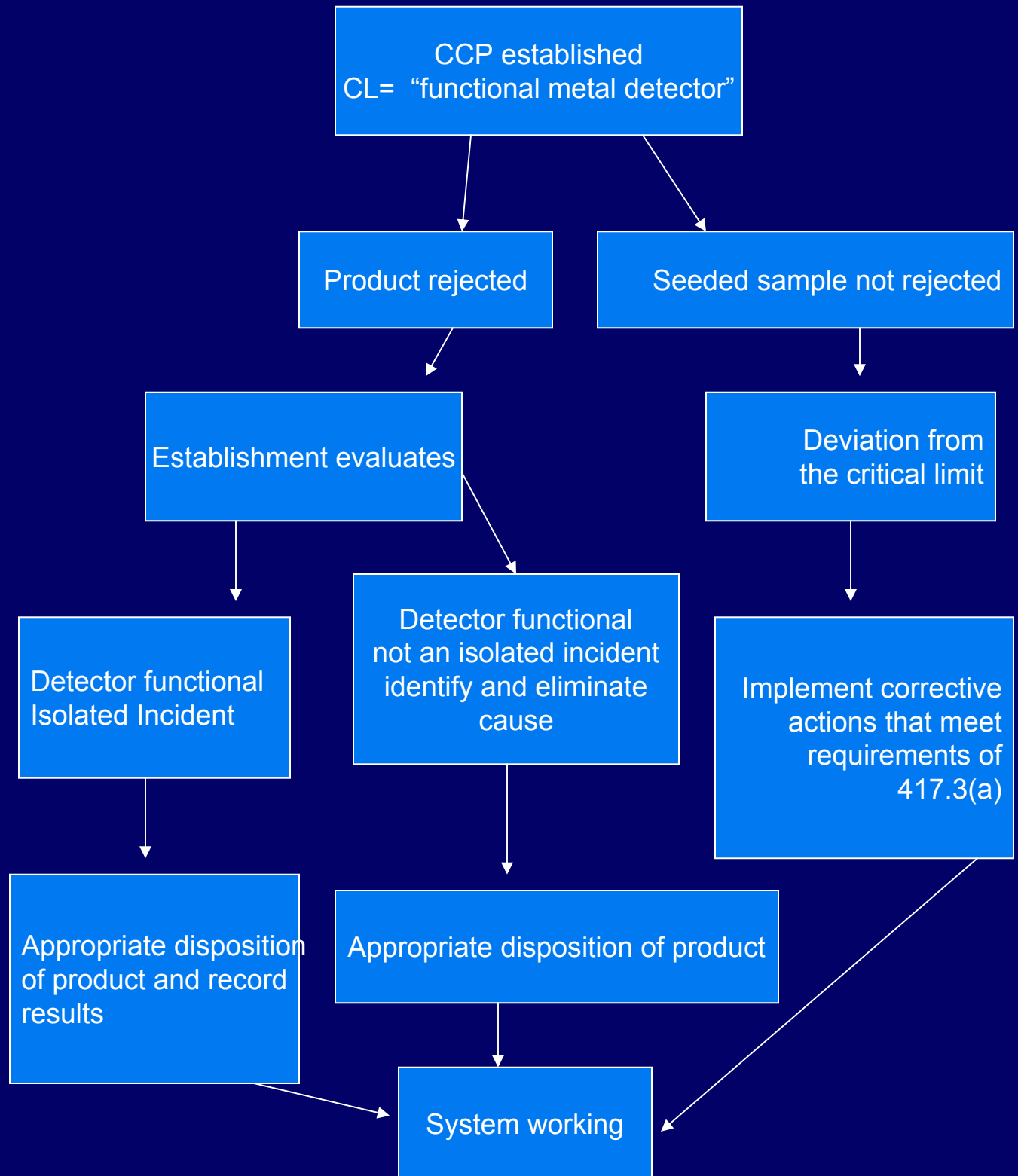
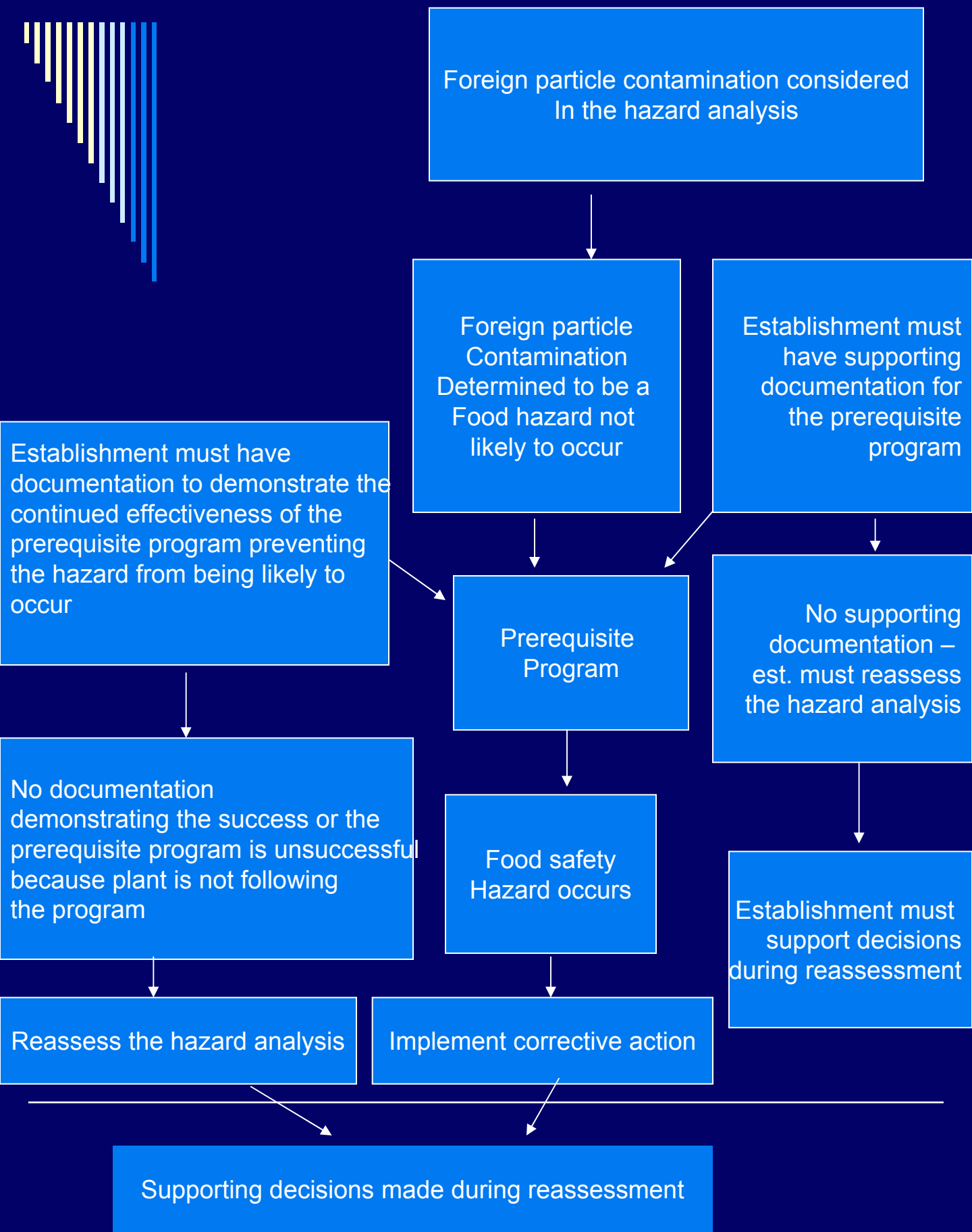
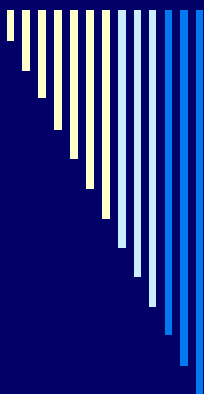


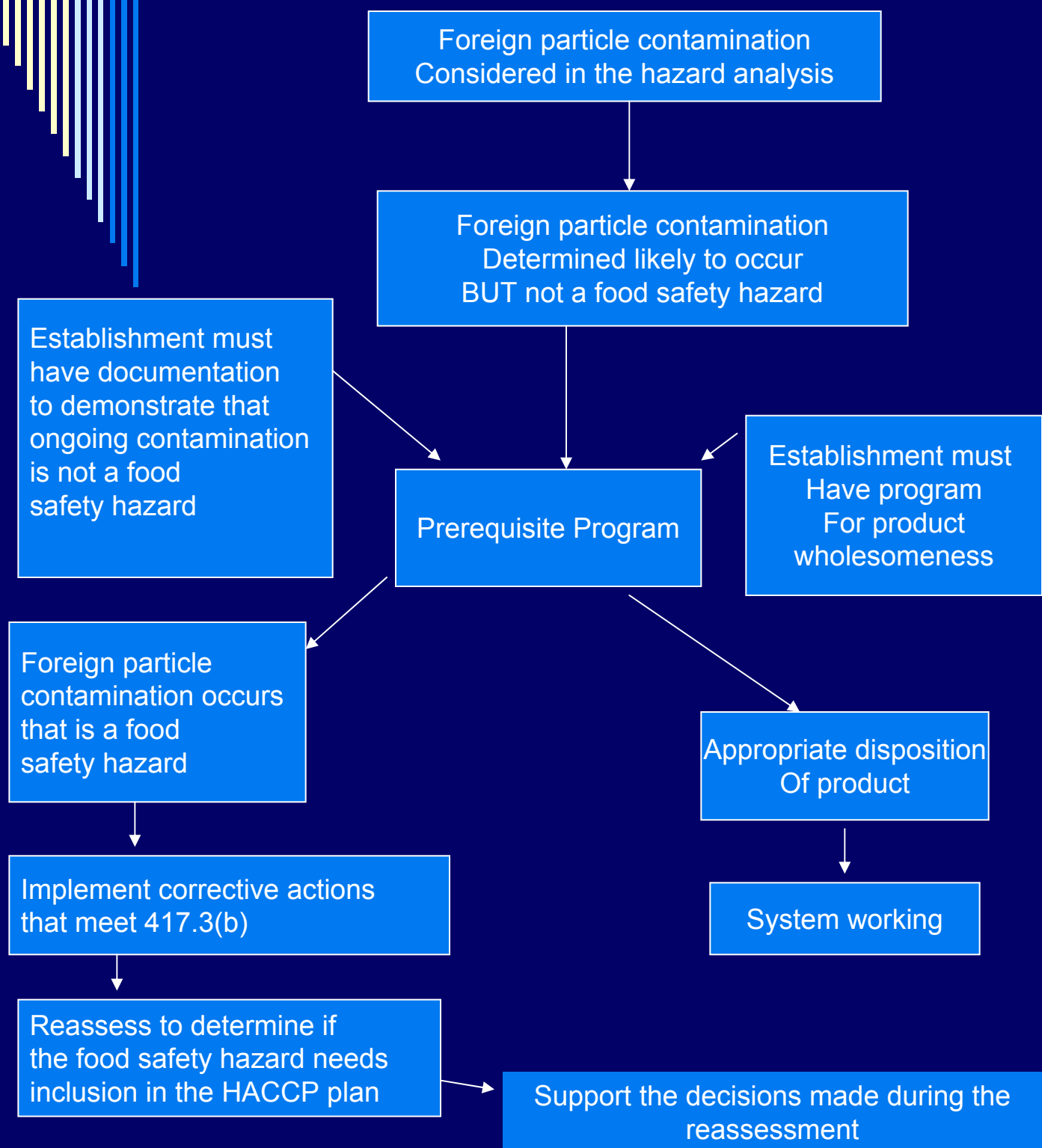
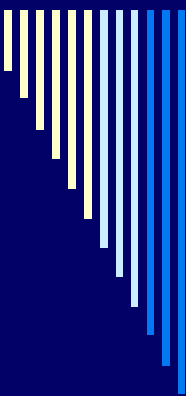
Current Thinking and Draft Directive on Foreign Material Contamination in HACCP, SSOP, and Prerequisite Programs

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Foreign particle contamination
considered in the hazard analysis

Foreign particle
contamination determined
not likely to occur

Historical Data to support
this decision

Contamination Occurs

If contamination is determined to
be a food safety hazard, the est.
must implement corrective
actions that meet
requirements of
417.3(b)

If contamination is determined to
NOT be a food safety hazard, the est.
must implement corrective
actions under its SSOPs
9 CFR 416.15

Support the decisions
made during the reassessment

